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To the owner and/or operator of Exxon Company, Maryland Tank Farm:

The State of Louisiana, Department of Environmental Quality, and the United States Environmental Protection Agency have initiated a statewide project to conduct preliminary assessments and/or site inspections of potentially hazardous waste storage and disposal sites. In accordance with the federal guidelines established for the project, your facility has been designated for a site inspection. This site inspection is authorized pursuant to Section 3012 of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), also known as Superfund.

You will be notified of the scheduled date of the site visit before the inspection is initiated by the State's contractor, the Earth Technology Corporation. During this investigation, we request the presence of a site representative who is familiar with the technical and historical facts about the site and may provide site-specific data. Each site inspection is estimated to take three to six hours. However, the exact length of time required and the scope of the site inspection will vary with the complexity of the site and the amount of information previously obtained about the facility. Each site inspection will be conducted in accordance with EPA approved safety and quality assurance / quality control plans.

I have enclosed a copy of EPA Form 2070-3 specifying the information to be obtained during the site inspection. Although a detailed hydrological assessment is not anticipated during the site investigation, up to ten samples may be collected in and about the site for analysis. Your representative will be offered

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the opportunity to take samples from all of the samples obtained at your site.

We hope to work closely with you or a designated representative in developing information about the site. Your cooperation and assistance will greatly facilitate the accuracy of the information obtained during the inspection. This information will help determine if further work is necessary at the site, or if the site may be removed from the EPA's Emergency and Remedial Response Inventory System (ERRIS).

We offer you our assistance in answering any questions you may have concerning the project. You may write Mr. William B. De Ville, Administrator of the Inactive and Abandoned Sites Division, or contact him by phone at  $1\ (800)\ 535-8763$  (in Louisiana) or  $(504)\ 342-1265$ .

Very truly yours,

Patricia L. Norton

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